IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
(Case No. **RA001C9**)

In the Application of:)

     FARMWALD ET AL.   )

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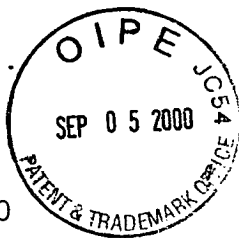**Serial No:** 09/510,213   )

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Title: METHOD OF OPERATING A MEMORY   )
         HAVING A VARIABLE DATA OUTPUT   )
         LENGTH (AS AMENDED)

Group
Art Unit: 2781

Before
Examiner: G. Auve'

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, DC   20231

AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

     In response to the Office Action, mailed August 1, 2000, kindly amend the application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

N.E. fine *wrong*

     In claim 170, line 5, delete "one", and substitute --the same--.

     In claim 174, line 13, delete "transpire" and substitute --occur--; and delete "one" and substitute --the same--.